Dear FIP Sub-Committee members:

We are writing with regard to the proposed decision approving the first tranche of the MDB project preparation and supervision budget to prepare the global component of the Dedicated Grant Mechanism for Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities to be implemented by the World Bank.

The time period provided for submission of comments and any objection to the decision has now expired.

No objections were received.

We are, therefore, pleased to inform you that the following decision is approved:

The FIP Sub-Committee takes note of the estimated budget of USD 600,000 for MDB project support and supervision services for the global component of the Dedicated Grant Mechanism for Indigenous Peoples and Local Communities and approves a first tranche of USD 300,000 for such services to be provided by the World Bank.

Please note that Sub-Committee Members' comments are posted on the CIF website at http://www.climateinvestmentfunds.org/cif/fip_comments.

Sincerely,

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